

## Message Text

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-----064993 201923Z /65  
O 201751Z MAY 78  
FM AMEMBASSY KINSHAA  
TO SECSTATE WASDHC IMMEDIATE 9849  
AMCONSUL LUBUMBASHI IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: CASC, MOPS, PINS, CG  
SUBJECT: SHABA ATTACK: KOLWEZI RESCUE OPERATION-EVACUATION;  
1520Z 20 MAY 78

1. BELGIAN CONSUL KINSHASA HAS INFORMED US THAT PLANE ARRIVED FROM KOLWEZI AT KAMINA 1150Z MAY 20 WITH 255 EVACUEES ABOARD. THAT PLANE IS EXPECTED IN KINSHASA LATER MAY 20.
2. SABENA FLIGHT NORMALLY SCHEDULED DEPART FOR JOHANNESBURG MAY 20 WILL LEAVE INSTEAD FOR BRUSSELS AT 2400 MAY 20 WITH LOAD OF EVACUEES.  
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## Message Attributes

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